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Subject: answering congressional inquiries
[17-000-7282.pdf](#)
[17-000-7145.pdf](#)
[17-000-7478.pdf](#)
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Hi Ryan,

Yep, I drafted responses and sent them to you, Robin and Kevin on Friday of last week. Here it is again in case you missed it in the many other emails you receive.

I was out yesterday, but Robin called me to discuss. We're playing phone tag but I hope we connect soon. On the recusal front, I'll ask Kevin if he has any comments and, if not, then I can bring the statement to you so that we can secure the Administrator's signature.

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Subject: RE: Administrator's recusal and answering congressional inquiries

Hi Robin and Kevin,

Kevin is reviewing the draft recusal statement for the Administrator, so Ryan asked me to start preparing responses to the various ethics-related congressional inquiries. Although Kevin will sign, we want to be sure (of course!) that OCIR provides its expert advice about the response. So I'm sending to you now for any comments you may have.

17-000-7282 (3/21/17) from Carper, Sanders, Whitehouse, Merkley, Booker

17-000-7478 (4/7/17) from Carper, Markey, Cantwell, Blumenthal, Leahy, Durbin, Harris, Whitehouse, Merkley, Booker

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17-000-7145 (3/24/17) from Whitehouse

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17-000-3815 (12/22/16) from Senator Carper

17-000-7283 (3/22/17) from Senator Warren

17-000-7118 (4/4/17) from Senator McCaskill

17-000-7572 (4/14/17) from Senators Whitehouse, Carper, Schatz, Markey (two of the questions deal with ethics)

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Hi Justina – Here to help, just say when. Thank you! Best, Robin

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Hi there,

I expect that the Administrator will soon sign his recusal statement. I met with Ryan earlier today.

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